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FOLLOWING SENT ACTION SECSTATE, INFO SEOUL, AUGUST 23, FROM  
PHNOM PENH RPTD TO YOU:

QUOTE S E C R E T PHNOM PENH 8829

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, MARR, CB

SUBJECT: KOREAN TECHNICIANS FOR THE GKR

REF: SEOUL 5511

1. WITHIN THE PRESENT CONSTRAINTS, IT IS OBVIOUSLY NOT  
FEASIBLE FOR US TO FINANCE OR SUPPORT IN ANY WAY, EITHER  
DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, OVERTLY OR COVERTLY, KOREAN  
TECHNICIANS WHICH THE GOK MIGHT SEND TO THE GKR IN  
RESPONSE TO THE LATTER'S REQUEST FOR QTE TECHNICIANS  
SKILLED IN THE USE AND MAINTENANCE OF MILITARY  
EQUIPMENT UNQTE (REFTEL).

2. WE WISH TO POINT OUT, HOWEVER, THAT THE KOREAN  
EMPLOYEES OF THE VINNEL CORP WHO ARE PRESENTLY SERVING  
HERE UNDER CONTRACT TO MEDTC HAVE BEEN USEFUL AND THAT  
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ADDITIONAL SUCH TECHNICIANS, IF THEY COULD BE PROVIDED  
UNDER A STRICTLY BILATERAL GOK-GKR ARRANGEMENT  
INDEPENDENT OF U.S. INVOLVEMENT, WOULD ASSIST IN  
UPGRADING FANK CAPABILITIES.

3. THIS CONSIDERATION SHOULD BE ADDRESSED AS WELL AS  
THOSE NEGATIVE FACTORS ASSESSED BY AMBASSADOR HABIB.  
SWANK UNQUOTE. ROGERS

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